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## VIA ECF

Hon. Richard M. Berman United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street, Courtroom 17B New York, New York 10017

Re: S.E.C. v. Shapiro, et al., No. 1:15-cv-07045-RMB-RWL

Dear Judge Berman:

Counsel for Defendant Tyler G. Peters and the Securities & Exchange Commission (the "Commission") jointly submit this letter to seek an adjournment of the deadline for Mr. Peters to respond to the Complaint, currently set as June 18.

The parties believe adjourning the June 18 deadline is appropriate to allow time for the Court to address issues raised in a pre-motion letter that Mr. Peters submitted on June 13 (the "Pre-Motion Letter"). See Dkt. No. 110. The anticipated motion would ask the Court to reconsider and clarify certain aspects of its recent decision, which denied Mr. Peters' motion to dismiss the Complaint. See Dkt. No. 107. The Court endorsed the Pre-Motion Letter, on June 14, and set June 18 as the Commission's deadline to respond – also the deadline for Mr. Peters to respond to the Complaint. See Dkt. No. 111.

The parties respectfully request that the Court adjourn Mr. Peters' time to respond to the Complaint until 14 days after the status conference scheduled for June 21. Such an adjournment would serve the interests of justice and judicial economy by giving the Court an opportunity to address the issues raised in the Pre-Motion Letter and the Commission's anticipated response.

There have been five prior requests for an extension of time to respond to the Complaint, which have all been granted. See Dkt. Nos. 22, 66, 89, 94, 95.

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SO ORDERED:	

Hon. Richard M. Berman, U.S.D.J.

Dated: